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#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Tetsuji Suzuki, et al.

Confirmation No. 3294

Serial No. 10/797,483

Art Unit: 2851

Filed: March 11, 2004

Examiner: Andrew T. Sever

For: IMAGE DISPLAYING APPARATUS AND COLOR SEPARATING-COMBINING OPTICAL SYSTEM

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter; and
- (2) Response to Election of Species Requirement.

If an Extension of Time under 37 CFR §1.136 is required and has not been separately petitioned, please consider this Transmittal Letter as including a petition for such Extension of Time and as a further authorization to charge any fee for such Extension of Time, as may be required by 37 CFR §1.17, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112. Also, please charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in connection with this matter to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

Respectfully submitted,

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# RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of June 22, 2005. The one-month shortened statutory period to respond was set to expire July 22, 2005, which makes this a timely filed response to the outstanding Office Action.

In view of the following election and remarks, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to conduct a first substantive examination of the application.

### REMARKS

Claims 1-10 are pending in the application. In the outstanding Office Action, claims 1-10 were subjected to an election of species requirement.

By this Response to Election of Species Requirement, an election without traverse, is made.